

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L KUWAIT 6154

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: IZ, KU, PBOR,  
SUBJECT: KUWAITI FON MIN TO VISIT IRAQ

1. KUWAIT PRESS OF OCT. 29 REPORTS THAT KUWAITI FON MIN  
SABAH AL-AHMAD WILL BEGIN AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO IRAQ ON  
NOV. 5.

2. KUWAITI MFA UNDERSEC, RASHID AL-RASHID, CONFIRMED  
PLANNED VISIT TO AMBASSADOR OCT. 29, DURING A DISCUSSION  
OF OTHER MATTERS. RASHID MAINTAINED THAT THE EVOLVING  
IRAQI-KUWAITI RELATIONSHIP -- HE SAW IT AS A MARKED  
CHANGE FOR THE BETTER -- WAS A SIGN THAT KUWAIT IS  
EARNING IRAQI RESPECT BECAUSE OF THE QUALITY OF KUWATI  
POLITICAL LEADERSHIP AND THE SUCCESS OF ITS FRIENDS-WITH-  
EVERYONE FOREIGN POLICY. RASHID NOTED WITH SOME  
CONCERN, HOWEVER, THAT WHILE THE IRAQI LEADERS ARE  
VERY "HOSPITABLE" PEOPLE, THEY ARE ALSO VERY "VIOLENT" AND  
THUS DIFFICULT TO DEAL WITH. HE CONVEYED THE  
IMPRESSION THAT A NUMBER OF MATTERS, INCLUDING THE BORDER,  
WOULD BE DISCUSSED.  
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